2014

TENNESSEE ASSOCIATION OF FAIRS/MERIT AWARDS

APPLICATION

(Must print or type)

Fairs are evaluated by the State Merit Awards Committee. If determined worthy, your fair will receive an Award of Merit, 2nd runner-up, 1st runner-up, or champion award from the Tennessee Department of Agriculture respective of the four classifications of A, AA, AAA, or Regional. The Tennessee Association of Fairs will also present a "Most Improved" award for a fair in A, AA, or AAA classification and a Champion of Champions Award. In order for a fair to be eligible for one of the state or association awards, a fair must have paid \$1,000 or more in premiums for *approved* agricultural exhibits at their most recent fair.

Name of Fa	ir:		
Fair Mailing			
Physical Ad	dress of Fair: include street or high	way number, city and zip	
Age of Fair	2014 Fair Dates:	:	
	^^^^^	^^^^^	
	CE	CRTIFICATION	
	ertify that the information in this app ne Merit Awards Committee.	lication is true and accurate, and we agree	to stand by the
President		Date	_
Secretary		Date	_
Manager		Date	_
MUST be sig	gned by at least two (2) fair officials.	Premium catalog <u>MUST</u> accompany thi	is application.
MAIL TO:	Emily Pitcock Tennessee Association of Fairs 123 Clark Mill Road Fayetteville, TN 37334	DEADLINE : November 1	, 2014

FAIR SUMMARY Fair			_ 2
FAIR CLASSIFICATION:	2012	2013	2014
Area served by fair: County Regional Estimated total attendance (free and/or paid)			
PARTICIPATION:			
Number of individual exhibits or entries (total pg. 3 plus pg. 4)			
Number of individual exhibitors (total pg. 3 plus pg. 4)			
Number of commercial exhibits			
Number of volunteers assisting with fair during year		_	
Number of hours contributed by volunteers			
PREMIUM INFORMATION: Total amount offered in <u>all</u> premiums (i.e. prize money,			
agriculture, demolition derby, horse show, tractor pull, etc	(.)		
Total amount actually paid in <u>all</u> premiums (cash)		<u> </u>	
Total amount offered in approved agricultural premiums			
Total amount actually paid in approved agricultural premiums			
FINANCES:			
County or local aid			
Gross receipts for fair week only (excluding state or local aid)		<u> </u>	
Actual expenses (excluding permanent improvements)			
Expenses made for permanent improvements Gain or Loss for fair G	ain		
Lousual circumstances resulting in the gain or loss:	OSS		
Onusual enguinstances resulting in the gain of loss.			

General weather conditions during the fair:

TOTAL Agricultural Exhibits			
TOTAL Agricultural Exhibitors			

Departments		ımber of					
	LAIII	Number of Exhibits (entries)			Number of Exhibitors (individuals)		
	2012	2013	2014	2012	2013	2014	
1. Adult Art							
2. Youth Art							
3 Adult Craft							
4 Youth Crafts							
5. Adult Photography							
6. Youth Photography							
7. Vocational School Exhibits							
. Motorized Entries (Demolition derby, tractor pull, etc.)							
. Animal Entries (Horse shows, etc.)							
TOTAL competitive exhibits TOTAL competitive exhibitors						<u> </u>	
. What type of grounds do you have			ACTIVITIES park, ag comp				
. Ownership of grounds: County Go Privately owned If other, describe:	Other	•					
Number of acres . Are permanent buildings available	_						
If yes, please list:							

	Fair	5
2014 Fair – List New Features	, Events, or other activities introduced at your f	air:
		_
List and describe Live Demor	strations:	

Agriculture and Industry Better Rural & Urban Relationships	Youth Involvement Attendance	Leadership Development Participation.
Did your fair participate in the reco	ognition of Century Fari	ns in your county? If so, please describ
Describe ways your fair has address ors & promotion of hand-washing. Diaing stations? Describe actions taken.	d your fair display hand	l-washing posters and signage? Hand-

Fair: _____

6

Describe improvements made to your fair and fairgrounds during 2014. Include pictures, etc.		
_		
_		
_		
•	Give reasons you feel your fair should be considered for an award for 2014.	
•	Sive reasons you reer your rain should be considered for an award for 2014.	
_		
-		
_		
_		
_		
_		

Fair _____

7